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In re application of:

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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

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Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action dated **May 23, 2005** and is submitted and is submitted on or before the extended three-month shortened statutory deadline of **September 23, 2005**. The U.S. Patent and Trademark Office is hereby authorized to charge the \$60.00 fee for Extension for Response within first month (37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a)(1)) to our Deposit Account No. 08-3038 referencing docket number 03916.0034.NPUS00. It is believed that no fees are due at this time.

If any extensions of time are necessary to prevent abandonment of this application, then such extensions of time are hereby constructively petitioned under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), and any fees required therefor (including fees for net addition of claims) are hereby authorized to be charged to our Deposit Account No. 08-3038 referencing docket number 03916.0034.NPUS00.

The Examiner is requested to enter the amendments and consider the application.